is indebted to many people, all of whom have generously given of their time and talents on behalf of the city of Carbondale, all of whom will continue to generously give of their time and talents on behalf of the city of Carbondale. Among the most generous in the giving of his time and talents in the past seventeen months to the city of Carbondale is our guest of honor tonight, David J. Baum.

WHAT HAS DAVID J. BAUM DONE FOR THE CITY OF CARBONDALE IN THE PAST SEVENTEEN MONTHS?

In three significant ways, David Baum has shown himself to be a friend of the city of Carbondale in the past seventeen months:

First of all, David Baum has, in the past seventeen months, reminded us all of what it means to be a citizen of Carbondale. How does one become a citizen of Carbondale? Why is David Baum, who was neither born nor raised in Carbondale, a member of that exclusive group of individuals who, when the history of the city of Carbondale is ultimately written, will be known as the citizens of Carbondale? One does not become a citizen of Carbondale, be it known, merely by having been born in Carbondale, for many of the native-born residents of Carbondale are not citizens of Carbondale. One does not become a citizen of Carbondale, be it known, merely by residing in Carbondale, for many of the residents of Carbondale are not citizens of Carbondale. One does not become a citizen of Carbondale, be it known, merely by working in Carbondale, for many of the people who work in Carbondale are not citizens of Carbondale. One becomes a citizen of Carbondale, be it known, by actively, constructively